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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Terrific hail storm in Southeastern Alabama caused great destruction of crops. —— The Elks will hold their next annual reunion in Buffalo in July; Fred C. Robinson, of Dubuque, Iowa, elected grand secretary. —— The strike in Chicago packing houses has been called off; all questions are to be settled by arbitration. —— Mrs. Florence Maybrick was formally released yesterday and left England for France. —— The Breese trial in the U. S. court at Charlotte was continued yesterday. —— Edward Stevens killed in Greenwood, S. C., by his father-in-law, Thos. J. Lyons. —— A silver service was formally presented the U. S. cruiser Denver by citizens of Colorado at Galveston, Texas, yesterday. —— An amicable adjustment of the difficulties caused by the detention of British ships by Russian warships in the Red Sea is expected. —— The British government has made formal protest against seizues by Russian warships in the Red Sea. —— Dr. Kent has declined the presidency of the University of Tennessee. —— A strike of cotton mill employes at Fall River, Mass., is announced to take place July 25th. —— New York markets: Money on call easy, highest 1½ per cent., lowest 1 per cent; cotton quiet at 11.00c; flour, dull without feature; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red nominal; corn—spot easy, No. 2 54½c; oats—spot dull, mixed 26 and 32 pounds, 43½; rosin dull, strained common to good, $2.90@$2.95; spirits turpentine quiet.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 20.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 77 degrees; 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 96 degrees; minimum, 73 degrees; mean, 84 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .T; rainfall since first of the month to date, 4.11 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 2.5 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Maximum temperatures in the Wilmington district were: Wilmington, 92; Charlotte, 98; Cheraw, 93; Florence, 93; Goldsboro, 94; Greensboro, 95; Lumberton, 93; Newbern, 94; Raleigh, 96; Weldon, 98.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—For North Carolina: Scattered showers and thunder storms Thursday and Friday, fresh southwest winds.

Port Almanac—July 21.

Sun Rises	4.58 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.13 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 15 M.
High Water at Southport	2.30 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	5.00 A. M.

The price of "the full dinner pail" is now at outs with the price of a day's work.

A just judge like Parker for President would restore constitutional government and that is more important than any other consideration. Yet the Democratic platform promises us relief in many other particulars, and the reason that the Republicans want to keep the Democrats out is that a Parker administration would relieve the people of some of their burdens.

Says the Greenville, S. C., News: "At any rate, we should be gratified that there is no person living who can tell us how Henry Gassaway Davis acted when a child." Unless Mr. Davis proposes to gass away about his boyhood days we will never know anything, for the oldest inhabitant wasn't yet on the turf when our next vice president was in the habit of stealing off to the creek to "go in washing."

A heart rending affair occurred at Edgewater, a Summer resort in Westmoreland county, Virginia, on Thursday. While in surf bathing, Mrs. James Hubbard and child, of Westmoreland, and Misses Ada, Helen and Harriet Keaman, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keaman, of Washington, were drowned. The loss of mother and child in one family and three sisters in another touches even strangers far away from those bereaved homes.

The only reason that five negro ravishers have not been lynched in New Jersey and that two white murderers have not shared the same fate in Pennsylvania within the past fortnight, was because the officers of the law had good luck in spiriting their prisoners away from the mobs. Still that the prisoners were protected shows that the officers did their duty, but it also shows that our Northern brethren will take the law in their own hands if they have their way.

At Stevensport, near Evansville, Ind., on Monday, "as the result of a race war," says a dispatch, "one negro is dead and a white man fatally stabbed." The negro cut a white man with a razor, and a mob gathered and lynched him by shooting him full of bullets while he begged for mercy. Later in the night the whites gathered in large numbers and chased all the negroes through the streets. That was in Congressman Crumpacker's State, and it looks like he had better get busy at home.

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon. ‡

LOCAL DOTS.

— The tug "Alexander" Jones" arrived safely at Miami, Fla., Monday night, towing a dredge from Ocracoke and a water boat from Savannah.

— Another article on the Dispensary question appears on the third page of the STAR to-day. It is in reference to the Dispensary in Raleigh.

— In the Mayor's court yesterday Sis Baldwin and Estelle Croom, both colored, were fined for drunkenness and disorder. In default of payment they each went to the county jail for a period of 30 days.

— Sergeant George Smith is acting as captain of police for ten days during the absence of Capt. N. J. Williams. Policeman J. J. Moore is acting-sergeant while Sergeant Smith is acting-captain.

— The STAR is asked to make a correction of the statement that Mr. W. A. Stewart, of Dunn, N. C., is appearing as counsel for E. F. Young in the bankruptcy suit now pending against him in the United States Court.

— The Red Men of the city will have a a pleasant outing on Carolina Beach to-day. A fine programme has been arranged and there will be amusements enough for everybody, including an Indian war dance and a sparring match.

— Hammon Tietgen, a familiar figure at the police station, fell into clutches of the law again yesterday afternoon. He came up from the sound, filled up with "life elixir" and was making merry in the market house when he was arrested by Capt. T. H. Johnson, the clerk.

TOWN FULL OF EXCURSIONISTS.

Travel on Suburban Line Yesterday the Heaviest Since Fourth of July.

The largest excursion of the season reached Wilmington yesterday from Hope Mills and Fayetteville, bringing 807 passengers, who spent the greater portion of the day at Wrightsville Beach, returning last night at 8 o'clock. Another excursion also arrived yesterday. It was from Whiteville and brought 189 people. The Whiteville party returned at 10:30 o'clock last night. Both crowds were orderly and quiet though the jam and push on the Fayetteville train was severe.

The excursionists patronized the cars very freely and reports from the conductors on the suburban line last night indicated that the day's trave was the heaviest since the fourth of July. The Fayetteville train left last night in a wind and rain storm and the scene at the A. C. L. station, with all the confusion, beggars description. An excursion from Elrod, N. C., will reach here to-morrow.

Real Estate Transfers.

From deeds filed for record yesterday, the following real estate transfers appear: George R. Smith and wife, of Middle Sound, to Isham Thompson, for $100, tract of land in Harnett township. Chas. W. Watters and wife, of Harnett township, to Isham Thompson, for $300, seven acres of land in Harnett township. N. B. Rankin and others to T. R. Mask and John E. Taylor, for $575, property on east side of Thirteenth, 207½ feet south of Ann street, 351x620 feet in size. Charles Watkins, of Harnett township, to Isham Thompson, for $350, six acres of land in Harnett township.

Dr. Hale's Mother Dead.

A letter from Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, who left for Hot Springs, Ark., last week in response to a telegram announcing the illness of his mother, states that she died Saturday afternoon before he arrived there. The funeral was conducted Monday. Dr. Hale will return this week and will occupy his pulpit Sunday.

Ex-Minister to Liberia to Lecture.

A lecture will be delivered at St. Stephen's A. M. E. Church to-night by Dr. W. C. Heard, ex-minister to Liberia. Dr. Heard is now one of the general officers of the A. M. E. Church and is fully prepared to entertain the most cultured. The public is cordially invited to hear him. Lecture begins at P. M. Rev. John E. Jackson, pastor.

Bishop's Condition Not Improved.

Late reports last night were to the effect that there was no change for the better in the condition of the beloved Bishop Watson, who lies at the point of death at his home on Orange street. The end is expected at any moment. He has never rallied since the second slight stroke of paralysis about daylight Monday morning.

Mr. Joe Sneeden Weds.

Miss Susan E. Branch, daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Branch, and Mr. Joseph S. Sneeden were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother last night. Only a few intimate friends were present.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Knights of Pythias—Attention.
W. B. Cooper—Southern seed rye.
Notice—Round trip and supper $1.00 Cape Fear Lodge, I. O. O. F.—Notice.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Star Office—Boy wanted.
Wanted—Second-hand safe.

Women's White Canvas Hats. The newest styles at Rehder's. ‡

THEY WANT REPORT.

Chamber of Commerce Demands to Know What Military Committee Said.

AS TO THE ENCAMPMENT.

Governor Aycock Apparently Refuses Public Information and Hot Resolutions Are Passed by Business Men as to His Action.

Words are neither minced nor is indignation concealed in an exhaustive expression from the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce upon the Governor's recent arbitrary decision to send the encampment of the State troops this year to Morehead City without giving his reasons for ignoring Wrightsville or making public a report of the special committee sent to inspect the camp sites offered by both Morehead and Wrightsville, which report is strongly believed to have been in favor of the Wilmington resort. The expression was adopted at a special and very representative meeting of the Chamber, which had been called yesterday afternoon by President J. A. Taylor to receive the report of the special committee appointed to present the claims of Wrightsville before the Advisory Military Board in Raleigh and a recommendation, embodying a resolution, from the Executive Council of the Chamber with reference to the same subject. The resolution brought forth an animated discussion in which nearly every member present took the ground that Wrightsville had been unduly discriminated against. There were frequent references to the A. & N. C. Railroad as a factor in determining the location of the camp and some of the statements were sensational in their nature. The object of the meeting was stated by President Taylor and at his request, Secretary Kyle read the report of Colonel Walker Taylor, chairman of the encampment committee and the recommendation of the Executive Committee thereon as follows:

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 18, 1904.

Mr. J. A. Taylor, President Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, Wilmington, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—The committee appointed by your Chamber to visit Raleigh to attend the meeting of the Military Committee to select the site for the encampment for the National Guard of this State, submit, herewith, their report.

The meeting was largely attended by the representative military men of the State, and the proposition as to where the encampment should be held was duly considered. Mr. S. L. Dill, treasurer of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, presented the claims of Morehead, and upon request of the chairman of the meeting, I presented the claims of Wrightsville. After some little discussion, the entire matter was referred to the following sub-committee: Gen. J. F. Armfield and Colonels Bragaw and Craig, with instructions to visit the two sites mentioned, and report thereon with recommendations. This committee very promptly visited the two sites, and filed their report with the Governor. The Governor after considering the report ordered the encampment to Morehead.

In order that I might make a full and intelligent report, I addressed the Adjutant General three times for a copy of the report, and this morning am in receipt of his reply, stating that the Governor declines to give same out for publication. Telegrams from Raleigh, presumed to be from military headquarters, state that the committee recommended Morehead. My knowledge of the sites in question, together with my knowledge of the high military qualifications of the very able sub-committee (and none better could have been selected), leads me to believe that they could not possibly have recommended Morehead in preference to Wrightsville. It was for this reason that I was especially anxious to embody herewith a copy of the committee's report.

I desire to remind you that your Chamber appointed the committee to attend the conference at Raleigh on recommendation of the Adjutant General.

My expenses attending this meeting amounted to $16.28, for which I will thank you to have the treasurer remit me check. Very truly yours,

WALKER TAYLOR, Chairman.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

In the matter of Brigade Encampment, this Chamber appointed a committee to urge the claims of Wrightsville on the State authorities. The committee was composed of Colonel Walker Taylor, Capt. and Adjt. Jno. VanB. Metts and Capt. W. F. Robertson, and the matter was taken up promptly and vigorously pressed. A telegram was sent to Gen. B. S. Royster, offering Wrightsville as a suitable site, and was followed by a letter of same date, pointing out that for the encampment to be at Wrightsville would mean a saving in railroad fare, on mileage basis, to the State of from $750 to $950 as against Morehead City; also that the Wrightsville site was none other than the Latimer and adjacent properties, which was most admirably equipped with all necessary facilities, such as officers' quarters, plentiful supply of wholesome water, electric lights, etc. Any one familiar with the conditions at Morehead City must readily concede the superiority of Wrightsville, and we believe that if the best interest of the State Guard had been the sole consideration that the encampment would have been held at Wrightsville.

In the correspondence between the committee and Gen. Royster, the committee was informed that a meeting was to be held in Raleigh, to be attended by: "Gen. Armfield, the colonels of the three regiments, the inspector general, and the chief of engineers for the purpose of determining the matter." In this letter Gen. Royster invites the city of Wilmington to be represented at the meeting, when her claims in behalf of Wrightsville would be heard. This meeting was authorized by Gov. Aycock, and at the hearing a sub-committee was appointed to look into the relative merits of Wrightsville and Morehead City, and report their recommendation to the Governor. The power to select a site resides absolutely with the Governor, but we respectfully submit that when a committee was appointed at the instance of the Governor himself to look into the relative merits of claimants, with recommendation to be reported thereon, that the Governor waived his arbitrary right of selection and was in good faith bound either to accept the recommendation of the committee or to give satisfactory reasons for not doing so; nor will the plea avail that such report is the private property of the Governor, for the State treasury paid the expense of the Committee of Investigation, and their report is necessarily a public document.

WHEREAS, the committee appointed by this Chamber to present the claims of Wrightsville as a site for the encampment appeared before a meeting of military authorities in Raleigh, convened on the authority of the Governor; whereas, said committee appointed a committee to examine into the relative merits of Wrightsville and Morehead City as encampment sites and report their recommendation to the Governor; whereas, said committee of investigation visited Wilmington and Morehead and made their report to the Governor, who selected Morehead City in preference to Wrightsville; and whereas, the report of the committee of the Chamber of Commerce, now in hand, recites that application has been made to Gen. Royster for a copy of the report of the investigation committee, which request has been denied by the Governor; be it resolved:

1. That the report of the Investigating Committee is not the private property of the Governor. That said report was procured at public expense and embodies a recommendation which the Governor was in good faith bound to observe. That said report dealt with the advantages of Wrightsville as a claimant for an encampment site, and that the city of Wilmington is entitled to this report and to know the reason why Morehead City was preferred over Wrightsville.

2. That in refusing to furnish a copy of said report to the committee from this Chamber, the Governor lays himself open to the suspicion of conserving the interest of Morehead City at the cost of the military service of the State, as well as having done Wrightsville a grave and deliberate injustice.

3. That we respectfully request the Governor to furnish this Chamber with a copy of the report in question, to the end that we may know what are the shortcomings of Wrightsville and the superior advantages of Morehead City.

"The report is before you for action," said the president upon conclusion of the reading. Mr. G. J. Boney, Democratic nominee for the Legislature, moved the adoption of the Executive Committee's recommendation; seconded by Mr. H. W. Malloy. Mr. Sam Bear, Jr., favored modifying that section of the resolution in which it was stated that, by his action, the Governor laid himself open to suspicion, etc. Mr. P. Pearsall also thought that section should be modified. Mr. Malloy said, upon second thought, he favored striking out the word "deliberate" in the same section; however, he was ready to stand by the committee's report. Col. Walker Taylor, chairman of the encampment committee, gave a vigorous recital of the transactions in Raleigh when the Military Board was there, saying the Governor was not present, but his private secretary was and he was very active in the deliberations of the body. Both colonels of the regiments to go in camp favored July as the month on account of the convenience to members of the guard, but the wishes of the commanding officers were totally disregarded and he had heard it whispered that the change to August was in order that the State's Atlantic Hotel there might remain open a month longer. He also said that he believed the time and place had already been set before the Advisory Board ever met. He didn't know what the inspection committee had decided with reference to Wrightsville and Morehead but he did know that the people of the State who defrayed the expenses of the trip had a right to know which they favored. It was time for Wilmington to speak out and not be trifled with. Another member present said that it was an actual fact that many of the troops will be brought through Wilmington on their way to Morehead and that the cost of their transportation to Morehead will be $900 more than to Wilmington.

Capt. J. VanB. Metts, Mr. Malloy, Mr. J. S. Hooper, Mr. Sam Bear, Mr. Boney and others spoke along the same lines. Mr. Bear renewed his request for slight modification of the section referred to and President Taylor took the floor with a vigorous speech which he concluded with the significant paragraph, "either we are children to be played with or men to demand that report." He declared openly that there was an apparent effort to send the encampment to Morehead so as the A. & N. C. Railroad could declare a dividend before the present management went out and that Wilmington would have to suffer to patch up an administration. The section objected to by Mr. Bear was finally amended by mutual consent, striking out the words "A. & N. C. Railroad" and substituting "Morehead City," which several remarked was one and the same thing. The reports and resolutions as printed above were then passed unanimously.

Just before adjournment of the meeting President Taylor said that he had a request from Mr. J. T. King, freight agent of the A. C. L. in Wilmington, asking for an earlier closing hour in Wilmington. Richmond and Norfolk close that department at 4:30 o'clock and Charleston at 5 o'clock, according to communications presented by Mr. King. President Taylor said a 5 o'clock closing hour the year round was in view here, and he asked members to think over the matter for intelligent action at the regular meeting in August.

Present at the meeting yesterday were President J. A. Taylor, Secretary James Kyle, Capt. Jas. I. Metts, Capt. A. P. Adrian, Capt. J. VanB. Metts, Col. Walker Taylor, Capt. W. F. Robertson, Messrs. I. M. Bear, M. F. H. Gouverneur, S. T. Ashe, W. J. Boney, E. A. Metts, P. Pearsall, W. E. Perdew, A. B. Skelding, W. H. Brown, H. W. Malloy, Sam Bear, Jr., M. J. Heyer, W. E. Worth, C. J. Mitchell, Jno. S. McEachern, J. S. Hooper and L. Bluethenthal.

TO HEAR CHALLENGES

Causes Will Be Assigned and Answered in Three of the City Wards To-day.

THE DISPENSARY CAMPAIGN.

Weather Interfered With Success of Dispensary Speaking Last Night—Col. Waddell Will Make Three Addresses Against Dispensary.

Dispensary campaign circles were remarkably quiet yesterday, but interest of the red-hot temperatnre will be revived to-day upon the beginning of the hearing of the challenges of the registered voters in the First, Fourth and Fifth wards. There are such a large number of challenges that the attorneys on both sides were afraid a complete hearing could not be given in all the wards on Monday and so the registrar and two inspectors in each of the wards named, who constitute the tribunal before which the causes are to be heard, decided to begin "early and avoid the rush," according to the commercial phrase. The hearing in the Fifth ward, where there are 232 challenges by the dispensary people and eight by the anti-dispensary element, will begin at 9 o'clock, but in the other two wards the hearings will not begin until 10 o'clock. It is known that both sides will be represented by counsel in each of the wards to day. The law requires that personal notice shall be served on each elector challenged and it is presumed that nearly all of the eligible ones will be present. As the books were revised from a registration nearly two years ago, necessarily many of the number who have been challenged have removed from the city or ward, while a great many others have died. There have been applications at the sheriff's office during the past two days for duplicate tax receipts and it is thought that the hearings will be somewhat extended. In the First ward there are 111 challenges by the dispensary forces and 54 by the anti-dispensary advocates. In the Fourth ward there are 42 challenges by the anti-saloonists and eight by the anti-dispensaryites. The election officials and places of registration where challenges will be heard to day are as follows:

First Ward—Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, J. A. Barnes. Judges of Election, G. F. Quinn and F. T. Skipper.

Fourth Ward—Worth's Ice House, Dock street. Registrar, T. G. Pickett. Judges of Election, Geo. D. Parsley, H. L. Vollers.

Fifth Ward—Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets. Registrar, W. D. Rhodes. Judges of Election, K. W. Jewell, T. G. Landen.

The Speaking Last Night.

Owing to the stress of weather only a small crowd heard Rev. Joe P. King in the Court House last night. During the storm the Delgado Band made tour of the city in the big closed suburban car of the Consolidated Company, but there were few who cared to brave the elements even to hear the "burning issues" discussed by either side. To-night there will be an open air meeting at Seventh and Market streets. The speakers have not been announced.

Col. Waddell Friday Night.

The greatest interest was manifested yesterday over the announcement that Col. Waddell would speak in the Court House to-morrow night in opposition to the dispensary. His powers as an orator are known to Wilmington people, and that he will make the first open speech against the institution of a dispensary, is sufficient guarantee that the room will be crowded on the night of the meeting. Col. Waddell will also speak in the Fifth Ward at Fifth and Castle streets Monday night, and at Fourth and Harnett streets, in the First Ward, on Tuesday night, the eve of the election. There will be music by a brass band and other demonstrations by the anti-dispensary forces. Handbills advertising the meetings were being gotten out yesterday.

LOCAL PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Cotton and Naval Stores—Two Schooners Cleared—Other Notes.

Spirits turpentine was steady at 52½c. on the local market yesterday. There was nothing doing in rosin. Cotton receipts yesterday were 24 bales, which came over the Carolina Central.

Schooner "Bayard Hopkins," which discharged cargo of fertilizer at the Wilmington compress warehouses, cleared yesterday, light, for Georgetown, S. C. Schooner "Josephene Ellicott," cleared with cargo of lumber from the Chadbourn Lumber Co. consigned to parties in Boston.

The Clyde Liner "Oneida," Capt. Rich, formerly on this run, but now plying between New York, Charleston and Georgetown, arrived before day yesterday morning and will clear Friday for the north, after receiving cargo.

Ladies' Yacht Race.

The ladies' annual yacht race from the Carolina Yacht Club fleet, will be sailed Friday afternoon over the Banks' Channel course at Wrightsville Beach. This race is always one of the most interesting of the season's regattas and the number of entries will be large. The start will be made from the Carolina Yacht Club pier. The hour of the race will be announced later, with other details.

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Among last evening's arrivals was Mr. E. J. Hill, of Warsaw.

—Miss Jean Pemberton, of Fayetteville, is visiting in the city.

— Miss Eva Hussey, of Warsaw, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. E. D. Sloan.

—Among last night's arrivals was Mr. W. J. Thomas, of Charlotte.

— Among yesterday's arrivals were Dr. W. Ross Davis and Mr. W. E. McDaniel, of Whiteville.

—Mr. Leon Pearsall and family, of Rocky Mount, are guests at Mrs. W. H. Northrop's cottage on Wrightsville Beach.

—Miss Grace McMillan and Miss Lina Haigh, of Fayetteville, N. C., passed through the city yesterday en route to the St. Louis Exposition.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Egel, of Philadelphia, are visiting in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Perdew, No. 310 North Seventh street.

—Messrs. W. O. Spell, Autryville; B. F. Tatum, Ammon, Bladen county, and S. E. Memory, Whiteville, were visitors to the city yesterday.

— Mr. B. F. Penny, a former business man of Wilmington but now a leading merchant of Chadbourn, N. C., and Mullins, S. C., was here yesterday. He reports crops exceedingly fine and the business outlook the best in years.

— Friends of Mr. Chas. E. Gordon, the well known news dealer on South Front street, will regret to know that he is very ill with an intestinal trouble of a serious nature at his home on Walnut, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

— Mr. R. McMillan and son, Misses Gracie and Jessie McMillan, Miss Lina Haigh and Miss Whitfield, of Fayetteville, who came down on the excursion yesterday, decided to remain in the city for the regular train this morning and are guests at The Orton.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Mrs. O. B. Wighiman and Annie returned to-day from the seashore. —— Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Huske returnea to-day from Wilmington and the beach. —— Miss Lizzie Dell Sutton, of Wilmington, is visiting her parents on Cool Spring street."

— T. T. Adams, wife and three children, Greenville, Tenn.; Mrs. E. T. Stones, Danville, Va.; R. G. Vaughn, wife and children, J. G. Broadnax, Greensboro, and McL. Graham, of Clinton, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore Hotel.

— Newbern *Journal*: "Miss Hilda Davenport gave a reception Monday night in honor of her visiting friend, Miss Rena Mills, of Wilmington. Miss Mills is an accomplished musician and that with the delicate refreshments served and the music it was indeed a pleasant evening for the favored guests."

MR. DAVID PRATT DEAD.

Former Citizen of Wilmington Passed Away at Gastonia Yesterday.

Friends and relatives in Wilmington yesterday learned with regret of the death of Mr. David Pratt, a native of Wilmington, but for the past several years a resident of Charlotte and Gastonia. Mr. Pratt died at his home in Gastonia where he had been in business for several months, having moved there recently from Charlotte. Mr. Pratt was 59 years of age and spent the greater portion of his life in Wilmington. He was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him. He was a brave Confederate soldier and held his membership in Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., of this city. He was also a member of the Knight of Pythias and of Cape Fear Lodge of Odd Fellows, of this city. Mr. Pratt leaves one son to mourn his loss, Mr. T. J. Pratt, of Wilmington.

The remains will reach Wilmington on the noon train over the Seaboard Air Line to-day, and after funeral exercises, the remains will be laid to rest in Bellevue cemetery. The Knights of Pythias and Cape Fear Lodge of Odd Fellows are called to assemble and attend the obsequies in a body.

The funeral will be at 5 o'clock from Grace M. E. Church. Cape Fear Lodge of Odd Fellows will assemble at its hall at 4 o'clock and attend the services. The Knights of Pythias will meet the remains at the train.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS AT SOUTHPORT.

New Lodge Will be Instituted There To-night—All K. of P.'s Are Invited.

State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt has completed the organization of a very promising lodge of Knights of Pythias at Southport and, headed by Grand Chancellor Robertson and District Deputy M. B. McAuley, of Whiteville, a select team of Wilmington Pythians will go down to day to institute the new lodge. The party will leave at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon on the steamer "Compton" and return to morrow morning, reaching the city at 9:30 o'clock. Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares and Col. Walker Taylor, chairman of the Grand Lodge Judiciary Committee, will be among the guests of honor. All Pythians are requested to accompany the team and assist in the institution of the new lodge. It starts out with a charter list of 21 members and a number of other applications are in immediate prospect.

Another arrival of Women's White Canvas Oxfords, 99c. to day at Rehder's. †

$1.00 ---- One Dollar ---- $1.00

ROUND TRIP TO

Wrightsville Beach, N. C.,

INCLUDING SUPPER AT THE

Seashore Hotel.

jy 21 tf

Hon. A. M. Waddell

Will address his fellow citizens at the Court House Friday night at half past 8 o'clock, against the establishment of a Dispensary in this city.

It is earnestly hoped that every one who is interested in the moral and material welfare of Wilmington, will avail himself of this opportunity of hearing our distinguished fellow citizen discuss a matter that affects so seriously the peace, good order, and the future prosperity of our community.

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J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President
C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

jy 14 tf

SKIFFS TO RACE AGAIN.

Regatta Over Banks' Channel Course Saturday—Some of the Entries.

The dead-rise skiff fleet at Wrightsville will once more contest for honors over the Banks' Channel course Saturday afternoon and already a deal of interest is manifested in the event. The following boats will enter:

WeE Pa—Capt. E. Schulken.
Dorothy Dodd—Capt. Leon Pinner.
Laura Kate—Capt. E. B. Dudley.
Witch—Capt. Ed Heinsberger.
Eli Bille—Capt. W. L. DeRosset, Jr.
"S. W. M."—Capt. A. S. J. Williams.
Valerie—Capt. J. N. Jacobi.
Sea Crest—Capt. W. W. Roberts.
Hot Air—Capt. J. Holmes Davis.
Gull—Capt. J. M. Stevenson.

The boats are requested to report at the Seashore Hotel gangway at 3 o'clock. There will be a handsome prize for the winner. The officials of the race are: Capt. E. L. Hinton, Capt. Wm. F. Robertson and Mr. James F. Woolvin, judges; Mr. Geo. P. James, starter.

CHARLOTTE IS NOT PLEASED.

Wants Extension of Early Morning Seaboard Train from Wilmington.

The Charlotte *Evening Chronicle* has the following editorial:

"The Seaboard road has sorely disappointed Charlotte about the double daily service which it was expected would be given between here and Wilmington this summer. We can not see that additional service between Hamlet and Wilmington helps anybody in particular. We hope the authorities will revise the present plans in such a way as to give us two trains a day each way, and if they do it we are sure they will be pleased with the results and the population all along the way will be pleased also. The towns below Hamlet are good friends of Charlotte and would like this new service to come on from Hamlet and connect with this city. If the train leaving here at 7:28 P. M. could be run through to Wilmington instead of to Hamlet only, or if that is not practicable then let this train take a Charlotte to Wilmington sleeper to be carried from Hamlet to Wilmington on the freight. This latter plan would involve nothing but a local sleeper. The Seaboard has a host of strong friends in Charlotte and in many cases the road is given the preference on freight. It would be money in the company's treasury to accommodate the people now and in the future as it has generally done in the past. If the accommodations suggested could be given until October next only, it would be of advantage to people in Charlotte and all those along the line."

C. F. A. vs. Rockingham.

The baseball public is promised something interesting in a game at Hilton Saturday afternoon between the C. F. A. Champions and what is said to be an all-professional team from Rockingham. The visiting team will come down on an excursion with several hundred rooters and the Park is expected to be lively during the progress of the match. The game will be called at 4 o'clock. The C. F. A. is arranging a game with Newbern on the Hilton diamond, Thursday, 28th.

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DIED.

PRATT—At his home in Gastonia, N. C., July 20th, DAVID PRATT, in the 59th year of his age.

Remains will arrive here to-day (Thursday) at 12:05 via the S. A. L. and funeral will be conducted at 5 o'clock this afternoon from Grace M. E. church; thence to Bellevue cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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Brethren: You are requested to meet at the Hall this (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock to attend the funeral of Brother David Pratt at 5 o'clock. By order of the Noble Grand.

JAS. T. RILEY, Secretary.
jy 21 1t

Knights of Pythias Attention.

You are requested to assemble at A. C. L. station this morning at 12:05 o'clock to meet the remains of Brother David Pratt.

R. F. HAMME,
Secretary General Relief Committee.
jy 21 1t

The Morning Star.

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THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 21.

National Democratic Ticket.

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THE NEGRO ISSUE IN THE NORTH.

The presence of the negro in the North in such large numbers has affected both the political and industrial situation.

In many instances the negro has been used as a "strike breaker," which is to say, that since he is a cheap laborer, he is employed to take the place of strikers. That use was made of the negro during the troubles in the coal regions of Pennsylvania and Illinois, and just now in the stockyards strike at Chicago. There are many other instances to which it is not necessary to refer, but we may as well note that this use of the negro has arroused the white working men of the North against him. It will be recalled that the white miners in three or four States actually rose up in arms against negro miners, killed many and chased them out of the country. That means of getting rid of the negro was done in several instances where negro labor was secured from the South. Many negroes after their rough experience in the North returned to the South as the most tolerant and hospitable place for their race.

Politically, the negro in the North cuts a much more important figure. In several Northern States the negro actually holds the balance of power between the Republican and Democratic parties, and it is a fact that this negro vote elects the President of the United States, as it is thrown almost solidly to the Republican party.

It is this importance of the negro vote that has caused Roosevelt to court the negro and secure his continued support of the Republican party. For that reason the last Republican national convention at Chicago made a stronger bid for the negro vote than was ever done by any former national convention of that party.

In the campaigns in North Carolina when the negro was the issue the white Republicans were wont to deny and resent the charge that the Republican was the negro party. However, with Roosevelt's "open door of hope" policy for the negro, with Roosevelt's social equality stunt in entertaining Booker T. Washington at lunch or dinner at the White House, and with the last Republican national convention making a plain point in opening its arms to the negro, the North Carolina Republicans could hardly have the hardihood to deny that the Republican party is the negro party. It is not only nationally the negro party, but is the negro party in North Carolina, for the North Carolina Republicans heartily endorse and support the pro-negro Roosevelt who tenders them social equality at the White House, and they are endorsing and supporting the pro-negro platform adopted at Chicago, making the negro one of the issues in the campaign. That issue was drawn by the plank in the Republican platform which proposes to cut down Southern representation in the electoral college and in Congress, because the South has eliminated a large portion of the negro vote in order to protect its social and political institutions.

In order to cater to the negro, not only did the last Republican national convention open the way to reduce Southern representation and thus punish the white people of the South, but further manifested its negrophile sentiment by the great ovation which it gave a negro girl and a negro boy who were dumped on the chairman's stand and waved flags along with little white girls who were also put there to wave flags when Roosevelt was nominated. Of course that pleased the negroes who are opposed to the Southern amendments limiting negro suffrage, and all of it was so intended by the negro party. That incident of flag-waving and the assertiveness of the negro who insisted on being shaved by a white barber the other day at Oyster Bay, the President's summer home, shows how far the influence of Roosevelt's policy for social equality has been felt.

All this play for the negro vote is because the Republican party is compelled to have the negro vote in order to elect Roosevelt. All of that is very plain, but if anything were needed to make it plainer the Hon. Henry G. Davis furnished the proof in a speech which he made in the West Virginia Democratic State convention, before he was nominated for Vice President by the Democratic national convention at St. Louis. Here are some of the remarks and statistics of the negro vote as furnished in Mr. Davis' speech:

"In the coming election the Democrats would be sure to elect a President were it not for the negro vote, as you will see by the following figures from the official United States census of State elections of 1902:

	Negroes of Voting Age:	Republican Majority:
New York	29,649	8,803
New Jersey	21,240	6,694
Delaware	8,354	3,249
Maryland	60,308	2,940
West Virginia	14,774	11,873
Indiana	18,149	7,282
California	3,413	2,549
Total	155,787	43,330

"The census gives 2,065,989 negroes in the United States of voting age.

"This statement shows plainly that there are 155,000 negro votes in the seven States named, while the Republicans had a total majority of less than 44,000 votes. Or, in other words, there are between three and four times as many negro votes in these States as the Republican majority in the States named in 1902. If these States were added to the Democratic column a Democratic President would be certain of election."

The STAR has heretofore published these statistics in another shape, but the Democratic vice presidential candidate emphasizes the fact in a way that is striking.

The negro has become such a factor industrially and politically in the North that it is quite likely that many a white vote will be turned to the Democratic side in this campaign.

The Mobile *Register* boasts that "Mobile now has 27 feet on the bar." Greensboro, N. C., is 180 miles from the ocean, but there were 846 feet on the bar there on Tuesday. The Greensboro bar, however, will soon be so dry that a beer schooner can't pass in, so it is claimed.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— An old cowboy like the President ought not to have let the beeves get out of sight. It may—probably will—cost him his seat in the saddle.—Augusta Chronicle.

——The telegraph communications between Tokyo and St. Petersburg are not very good, and Admiral Togo has consequently not learned that he has lost most of his ships and is also dead.—Washington Post.

—— Bourke Cockran recently told a meeting of the Women's Federation of Clubs "that between polygamy and divorce the difference is in favor of the former." "Polygamy," he continued, "comprehends a group of wives at one time, while divorce simply means driving them tandem."—Brooklyn Citizen.

—— When such lynchings as those reported from Eutawville and from Scranton are permitted in a community we think that the people would do a great deal better to drive the negro out of the country entirely, but as a rule the men who would be most apt to engage in such work would be the ones to most bitterly oppose any movement to send the negroes away.—Florence Times.

—— The average Republican in these five elections was nearly 130,000. Mr. Roosevelt's plurality was less than 18,000, though he ran in the year of the Spanish war, with the story of his undoubted gallantry in Cuba fresh in the public mind. Yet, though the people admired his courage, they did not like his temperament nor trust his discretion in an executive office. The voters in this city in particular had not forgotten his crusade as Police Commissioner against the personal rights and liberty of citizens and his oppressive and discriminating enforcement of the Sunday and excise laws.—New York World.

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TWINKLINGS

— Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the meaning of intuition? Pa—Intuition, my son, is that which tells your mother she is right whether she is or not.—Chicago News.

— "So my daughter referred you to me, eh? Well, I hardly understand it. She never consults me except in a financial way." "Well-ah-sir, that's just it."—Stray Stories.

—"I-I have come to a-ask for your d-daughter's hand, sir," stammered the young man. "Well, which hand do you want?" asked the stern parent in a tone redolent with frigid sarcasm. — Chicago News.

— Hewitt—Do you believe in the theory that marriage prolongs life? Jewitt—Sure, I've known a number ministers who would have starved to death if it hadn't been for wedding fees.—Town Topics.

— Jones: My wife snores so terribly that she keeps me awake at night, but I fooled her last night. Smith: How? Jones: I made out I was talking in my sleep, and she stayed awake all night for fear she would miss something I was saying.—Chicago Journal.

— Chicago News: "Yes," said the young drug clerk, who had been trotting in double harness for nearly two weeks, "I've got a boss wife." "Well, you have my sympathy," rejoined the man who had come in to buy a bottle of hair restorer; "I've got that kind of a wife, too."

— Raleigh Post July 18: Mr. E. A. Taylor, of the Tobacco Planters' Mutual Hail Insurance Company, has returned from Scotland county where he went to adjust the losses by reason of the recent storm there. Mr. Taylor declares that the storm's damage to the crops in that section is over $100,000, and that it is the worst in the history of the State. The path of devastation stretched clear across the county and extended into a part of Richmond county. While the damage amounted to over $100,000, the farmer's insurance did not exceed $20,000. The planters, who suffered most heavily, have already begun a movement to ask the State to remit their taxes for this year. Mr. Taylor gives a graphic description of the ruination wrought there. He visited the plantation of one man who had 250 acres in cotton and the crop was entirely wiped out. Not a plant was left standing on this 30 horse farm. Indeed, the forests actually suffered from the hail and Mr. Taylor observed some trees which were stripped of their leaves and the bark so skinned and lacerated that they are dying. Mr. Taylor has been in this business 15 years and has adjusted many losses resulting from hail storms, but he declares that he never saw such a complete devastation as was wrought in Scotland county.

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The old woman says:

I want a helper to sweep the sky
Who can jump high. Who can jump high?

She looks down the line and points with her broom to one of the players, who comes forward and stands in front of the rope. Holding out the broom, the old woman says:

Take this, take this.
Be sure you don't miss.

The player takes the broom, holding it horizontally with both hands, and the rope is held for him to jump. He has three trials. Each time the rope is held a little higher. If he takes them all he stands on one side. If he fails, the old woman beats him with the broom, and he is out of the game. When all the players have been tried those who have been successful have a final trial, and the one who can take all the jumps is selected to help the old woman sweep the sky.

This game is specially adapted for out of doors, and the more players the merrier.

The Weighing.

Now, Midnight and Spot, do be quiet,
Or we'll never know how much we weigh.
Miss Bessie is losing her patience,
And we really ought not to play.

There, Spot! Hold your tail still a minute.
Hush, Midnight! Don't pur quite so loud.
Four pounds and a little bit over?
My goodness, won't mother be proud!
—Julia Darrow Cowles in St. Nicholas.

A Beastly Teacher.

In a certain school in the north of England the head master has recently taken to teaching natural history. The other day when expounding some of the mysteries of creation the master asked one of his boys if he could tell him the difference between himself and a tiger, meaning, of course, the difference in the scale of nature. After some hard thinking the boy replied, "Please, sir, a tiger is an imperfect beast, but you are a perfect beast."—London Spectator.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—24 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—3 barrels tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 5 barrels tar, 45 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—26 casks spirits turpentine, 56 barrels rosin, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—19 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Sanders—15 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin.

Total—34 bales cotton, 90 casks spirits turpentine, 106 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 118 barrels crude turpentine.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 52½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 48c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 3.00@3.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	70
Rosin	160
Tar	8
Crude turpentine	118

Receipts same day last year—130 casks spirits turpentine, 105 barrels rosin, 32 barrels tar, 60 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts—24 bales; same day last year, 3.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

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CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 12½@30c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Money on call very easy; highest 1½ per cent.; lowest 1 per cent; ruling rate 1 per cent.; last loan 1 per cent.; closing bid 1 per cent.; offered 1 per cent.; time loans easy; sixty days 2@2¼ per cent.; ninety days 2@2½ per cent.; six months 3¼@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.10@487.15 for demand and at 484.50@484.65 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 485½@486 and 488.. Commercial bills 484¼. Bar silver 58¾. Mexican dollars 45¾. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104¾; do. coupon, 105¾; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, ex int, 131¼; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 132¾; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106¾; do. coupon, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¼; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 100½; Seaboard Air Line 4's 69; Southern Railway, 5's, 115. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 94; Chesapeake & Ohio 34¾; Manhattan L 152; New York Central 119¾; Reading 52¼; do. 1st pref'd, 83; do. 2nd pref'd 70; Southern Railway 24½; do. pref'd 89½; Amalgamated Copper 53; People's Gas 100⅞; Tennessee Coal and Iron 40½; U. S. Leather 7¼; U. S. Leather preferred, 83¼; Western Union 88; U. S. Steel 12¾; do. preferred 62; Mexican Central 9⅝; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 25; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 100; sales — shares. Standard Oil 624.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 20.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 8¾@9; do. preferred, 16@16½—; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 115½@116; do. preferred. —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Rosin dull. Strained common to good $3 90@3 95. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, July 20.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53c; no sales. Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C $3 35; D, $3 40; E, $3 45; F, $3 50; G, $3 55; H, $3 70; I, $3 05; K, $3 35; M, $3 60; N, $3 70; W G, $4 10; W W, $4 40.

SAVANNAH, July 20.—Spirits turpentine quoted firm at 53c; receipts 952 casks; sales 847 casks; exports 755 casks. Rosin was steady; receipts 3,035 barrels; sales 2,311 barrels; exports 3,260 barrels: A, B, C, $3 40; D, $3 45; E, $3 50; F, $3 55; G, $3 60; H, $3 75; I, $3 20; K, $3 52½; M, $3 77½; N, $3 87½; W G, $4 27½; W W $4 57½.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 20.—The cotton market opened weak at a decline of eleven to thirteen points on the old crop and of four to ten points on the new crop months. The declines were due to moderate liquidation promoted by weakness in the Liverpool market, talk of complications in the European political situation as a result of the Red Sea episode, generally favorable private crop reports and continued favorable weather. But just as has been the case recently a fair demand developed at the decline to around nine to 13 cents for the new crop positions, and in the Liverpool rallying soon after the local opening, with reports of additional spot sales in that market and talk of a better turn in the Far East owing to rumors as to the release of British steamships, the seizure of which by the Russians had precipitated the early anxiety, prices here gradually began to improve and before long had recovered almost all the initial loss. Trading was quiet during the entire session, but the market continued to show a steady undertone and very little cotton appeared to be offering, with the result that prices in the late trading sold up to a net advance of ten to fifteen points on the new crop while the near months being dull and neglected failed to fully respond to firmness in the latter positions. The market toward the close eased off somewhat from the best, but was finally steady at a net decline of one point on the two old crop months while later deliveries were net six to nine points higher. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Cotton was quoted quiet at 11.00c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts — bales; stock 40,911 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 5 points higher; middling uplands 11c, middling gulf 11.25c; sales 130 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: July 10.62, August 10.61, September 9.95, October 9.68, November 9.50, December 9.67, January 9.67, February 9.67, March 9.71.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,733 bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 124,356 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 10,064 bales; exports to Great Britain 11,517 bales; exports to France 653 bales; exports to the Continent 4,138 bales; exports to Japan 1,397 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,092,443 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,460,477 bales; exports to France 698,007 bales; exports to the Continent 2,573,346 bales; exports to Japan 44,790 bales; exports to Mexico 26,778 bales.

July 20.—Galveston, quoted quiet at 10 13-16; net receipts 768 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 16, net receipts 90 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.25c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10.95c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 24 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 11.35c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, steady at 11¼c, net receipts 455 bales; New Orleans, firm at 11c, net receipts 2,346 bales; Mobile, nominal at 10.95, net receipts — bales; Memphis, quiet at 10¼c, net receipts 15 bales; Augusta, dull at 11c, net receipts 48 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts 3 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Flour was dull and without feature. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red nominal. Options closed ½@⅝c net lower; May closed 91¼c; July closed $1 00⅛; September closed 91¼c; December 90¼c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 54¼. Options: July closed 54c; September closed 54¼c. Oats—Spot dull; mixed, 26 and 32 lbs, 43¼c. Butter—Market steady; creamery, common to extra 13@17½c; State dairy, common to extra 13@17c. Cheese quiet; State, full cream, large white, fair to good 7@7¼c; large poor 6¼@6¾c. Eggs steady; State, Pennsylvania nearby extras 24c; Southern 16@18c. Tallow dull. Peanuts quoted steady; fancy hand-picked 6¼c; other domestic 3¼@6¼c. Cabbages weak; Long Island and Jersey, per 100, $2 00@3 00; per barrel crate, 50c@75. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm. Lard easier; Western steam $7 15; refined easy; continent $7 20; compound 5¾@6¼c. Pork firm. Potatoes easy; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 00@1 50; Jersey prime, per barrel, 50@1 50; Norfolk prime, per barrel $1 00@1 50; Southern sweets, per barrel $4 00@4 50. Cotton seed oil dull and partly lower. Closing quotations were: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills nominal; prime summer yellow 28@28¾c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 32c; prime winter yellow 32½c.

CHICAGO, July 20.—New wheat arriving liberally and alleged decreasing likelihood of serious complications in foreign affairs caused heavy liquidation of wheat to-day. Final quotations on the September option were ⅛c down. Corn is off ⅛@⅛c. Oats showed a loss of ⅛@⅛c. Provisions 7½ to 20c.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Cash prices: Flour—Market firm. Wheat—No. 2 spring 98c@99; No. 3 spring 88@94c; No. 2 red —. Corn—No. 2 64½c; No. 2 yellow 50½c. Oats—No. 2 40¾c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 40½@43¼c. Rye—No. 2 74¼c. Mess pork, per bbl., $12 65@12 70. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 75@6 77½. Short rib sides, loose, quoted $7 12½@7 25. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 35@7 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 96¾, 96, 96¾, 93¾, 94; do., new, 96, 96, 93, 93¾c; September, old, 89¾, 89¾, 88, 88¾@88¾c; do. new, 88¾@88¼, 88¼@88⅝, 86¼, 87@87¼c. Corn—No. 2 July 49¾, 49¾, 48¼, 49¼c; September 49¾@49¾, 49¾, 49, 49½@49¼c; December 45¾@46, 46, 45¾, 45¾@45¾c. Oats—No. 2 July 39⅞, 39⅞, 39¾, 39¾c; September 33@33¼, 33¼, 32¾, 32¾c; December 33¼@33¾, 33¾, 33¼@33¼, 33¼c; Mess pork, per bbl—July $12 65, 12 65, 12 65, 12 65; September $12 87½, 12 87½, 12 67½, 12 70; October 12 80, $12 85, 12 70, 12 70. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 75; September $6 90, 6 90, 6 85, 6 85; October $6 95, 6 95, 6 90, 6 90. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $7 25; September $7 57½, 7 57½, 7 45, 7 45; October $7 55, 7 55, 7 47½, 7 47½.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; mild quiet. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices and ruled generally quiet and featureless during the early trading. Later, however, offerings became heavier and business was quite active. The market closed steady at a decline of 5 to 15 points. Sales 73,000 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 20.—Cotton: Spot, in fair demand, prices twenty points lower; American middling fair 6.54d; good middling 6.40d; middling 6.30d; low middling 6.16d; good ordinary 5.98d; ordinary 5.78d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,600 bales American. Receipts 11,000 bales, including 6,300 bales American.

Futures opened barely steady and closed very steady; American middling (g o c): July 6.16d; July and August 6.09d; August and September 5.85d; September and October 5.45d; October and November 5.39d; November and December 5.26d; December and January 5.23; January and February 5.23d; February and March 5.23d; March and April 5.23d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Sanders, Sanders, Little River, S C, Stone, & Co.

Clyde steamer Oneida, Rich, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

Schr Josephine Ellicott, Alley, Boston, C D Maffitt.

Schr Bayard Hopkins, Thorkelson, Georgetown, S C, C D Maffitt.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

BOSTON—Schr Josephine Ellicott, 349,787 feet lumber; cargo by Chadbourn Lumber Co; vessel by C D Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 21.

SCHOONERS.

Wm H Bailey, 465 tons, Harris, C D Maffitt.

Ralph M Hayward, 529 tons, Green, C D Maffitt.

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BRIGS.

Irene, 435 tons, Winchester, C D Maffitt.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 399,319 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		56 17
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		100 00
Demand loans		55,720 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		23,519 95
Checks and other cash items		466 94
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Gold coin	$10 00	
Silver coin	332 28	
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes	635 00	977 23
Total		$481,181 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,849 59
Individual deposits subject to check	385,567 46
Time certificates of deposit	31,778 00
Certified checks	1,486 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	587 45
Total	$ 481,181 50

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, M. F. Allen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1904.

JAMES OWEN REILLY, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. ROGERS,
JNO. H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
} Directors.
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Foreclosure's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by A. V. Horrell to Thomas J. Gore, dated the 28th September, 1901, and recorded at pages 287 et seq. in Book 28 of the Records in the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, I will at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1904, at the Court House door of New Hanover county in the city of Wilmington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the tract of land and premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage situate, lying and being in Harnett township, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the line of the late William A. Berry, said stake being fifty-nine (59) poles from the beginning of the same Berry's line at Maloney's Swamp, and running thence from said stake south 28 deg., east two hundred and eleven (211) poles to a stake at the edge of the sound, thence with the sound eastwardly to a stake, Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's corner, and thence with the southern line of said Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's north 45 deg W. two hundred and seventeen (217) poles to the beginning, containing 46 acres, more or less.

Dated and posted this 29th day of June, 1904.

THOMAS J. GORE, Mortgagee.
AL. J. MARSHALL, Attorney. je 30 30t

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Partial List of Our Bargains.

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All-Linen Handkerchiefs, removal price, 5c.
50 Bathing Caps, removal price, 35c.
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Brush Binding, all shades, 3c per yard.
25c Ladies' Hose Supporters, removal price, 21c
15c Black Lace Hose, removal price, 10c.
33 per cent. discount on Ladies' Lawn Shirt Waists.
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25c Gents' Half Hose 19c per pair.

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$10 00 pattern Hats, removal price, $5.00.
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90x90 plain Mohawk Sheets, worth 90c each, removal price, 75c.
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My Bargain week begins Monday, June 13, and lasts until June 27th, (two weeks).
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Our $3 00 ready-to-wear Hats for $1.25; our $2.00 ready-to-wear Hats for 98c; our $4.00 Tucked Chiffon and Molene Hats for $2.00. All our Misses 98c Tuscan Hats for 38c; all our Misses 35c Tuscan Hats for 19c.
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Near Concord on Sunday, Burton Wheeler, a negro boy, 8 years of age, was drowned in Buffalo creek, while bathing with a younger companion.

— On Tuesday at Lumberton, C. E. Hayes, a white man charged with criminal assault on a white girl, was committed to jail without bond, to be tried for his life.

— On Monday night at Lumberton thieves broke into L. H. Caldwell's store and stole several pistols, clothing and other articles. Bloodhounds were put on the trail but only followed it a short distance.

—As usual several North Carolinians rise up to claim kin with Judge Parker or his wife. Mr. Mumford Parker, of Stanly county, by a family tree which he keeps, shows that his grand father was Judge Parker's uncle. Now comes the Asheville Citizen to say that Mrs. J. J. Brown, of Asheville, is a cousin of Mrs. Parker.

— Edward Buston Hicks, a negro laborer on Mr. Bryant Smith's farm near Raleigh, was killed by a runaway mule Monday evening. The man was sitting sideways on the mule, when it got frightened and shied. He lost his balance, his feet caught in the gear and the mule ran away, dragging him to death.

— Duplin Journal: The depot was much crowded with the colored contingent Saturday afternoon. A fat old woman stood at the door with her right foot firmly fixed on the left number 12 of Henry Blow. The weight grew too much for Blow, and when he informed his companion that that was his foot, she begged to be "scused," saying "I thought I was standing on a valise."

— Concord Sun: It is announced that a number of Kentucky and Ohio revenue officials are to be located in Rowan county for the purpose of ganging the large amount of whiskey manufactured in this section. The announcement has caused some consternation and no little dissatisfaction in Republican circles at bringing "detectives," as some choose to call the officers, from distant States to do work in Salisbury.

— Mr. C. J. Harris, the Republican nominee for Governor, tells the Asheville Citizen that he hardly thinks there will be a joint campaign between Mr. Glenn and himself. Harris, as we understand it, is a business man and not a campaigd speaker, and he is hardly to be blamed for not going into a joint discussion with a trained campaign orator such as Glenn is.—Monroe Journal.

— Charlotte News: Mr. W. W. Wilhelm, of the grocery firm of Messrs. Long & Wilhelm, has quite a treasure and curiosity in the shape of a gold nugget, which was found some years ago on the plantation in Cabarrus county now belonging to him. It is a fine specimen, weighing four ounces, and its value is about $80, though Mr. Wilhelm has been offered $100 for it in its present shape. The place where it was found lies about 5½ miles southeast of Concord and about a half mile from the Miami gold mine, where 150 hands are now being worked. Wilhelm says it was picked up in a dry hollow. The specimen has made two trips to London in charge of a minerologist.

—About six years ago a telephone system was established at Maxton by a local company. It gave satisfaction to the subscribers, and paid a handsome profit to its owners. After three years' existence, the company sold out to the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, which, a Maxton dispatch says, seems to be a branch of the Southern Bell Company. The new owners allowed the service to go down hill steadily, making no repairs on the line and giving no attention to it. Lately the service has become so very poor that a number of subscribers had to protest. The answer of the Carolina Company was that they will improve it by installing the Bell system and doubling the rates. A meeting of the patrons was held last week to protest against the raised rates and a committee was appointed to confer with the Carolina Company.

—Charlotte Chronicle: Leslie's Monthly Magaizne for July contains a fine piece of work by Mrs. Margaret Busbee Shipp, a woman whom all North Carolinians love and honor. In a story entitled, "Little Paulfat," Mrs. Shipp has done some of her best writing. It is a strong and graceful appreciation of child life, characterized by a gentle study and knowledge of her subject. There is depicted in the story the winsomeness of the wee folk; their plottings and playfulness and the spirit of forgiveness. All this is interwoven with a certain pathos incident to childish ridicule and a fine and rare humor in Mrs. Shipp's treatment. The story is well worth reading and re-reading and putting aside for the perusals of after-awhile. It stands out above most of the class of short stories of to-day.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." It's just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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(Fred. A. Olds in Charlotte Daily Observer, July 17, 1904.)
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— Near Windsor, Bertie county, on Monday, John Thomas and Boss Conner, cousins, were disputing about some logs which Conner had been moving. Conner cursed Thomas and the latter replied in kind, whereupon Conner made for Thomas with an uplifted axe. Thomas drew a a gun and shot his cousin dead, and a coroner's jury rendered a verdict that he was justifiable in the act.

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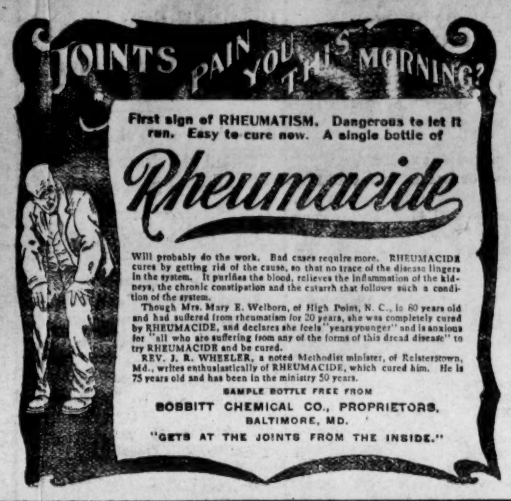

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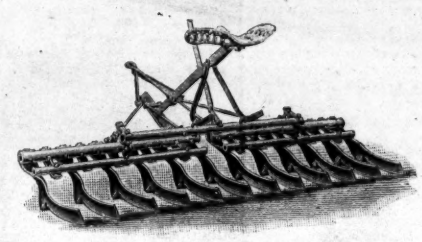

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Saturday Schedule...	5.00 and 9.00 P. M.	2.00 P. M.		8.00 A. M., 5.00 P. M.	9.00 A. M., 6.00 P. M
Sunday Schedule.....	9.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.	A. M. 9.30	P. M. 2.30, 7.45	11.45 A. M., 4.45 P. M.	12.30, P. M. 6, 8.45

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In Effect June 2nd 1904.

Leave Front and Princess Sts.	Leave Ocean View.
*6 00 A. M.	*7 45 A. M.
*7 00 A. M.	*7 30 A. M.
8 00 "	*8 00 "
9 00 "	*9 30 "
10 00 "	9 00 "
11 00 "	10 00 "
12 00 M	11 00 P. M.
1 00 P. M.	12 00 M.
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8 30 "	10 00 "
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The first car leaving the Casino at 7:30 A. M. will make no stops after leaving Wrightsville, arriving in Wilmington at 8:00 A. M. The second car leaving at 7:30 A. M. will make all stops reaching Front and Princess streets at 8:20 A. M.
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A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS

TRAINS ARRIVING

Arrive in Wilmington.		Arrive at the Beach.
A. C. L.	10 10 A. M.	11 45 A. M.
"	12 20 P. M.	1 45 P. M.
S. A. L.	12 45 "	3 15 "
A. C. L.	1 40 "	3 45 "
"	6 00 "	7 25 "

TRAINS LEAVING

Leave Wilmington.		Leave the Beach.
A. C. L.	8 45 A. M	7 30 A. M.
"	9 00 "	7 30 "
"	2 25 P. M.	1 00 P. M.
S. A. L.	3 10 "	3 00 "
A. C. L.	5 50 "	5 50 "

Through cars for the Beach will connect with all important trains. In other cases conductors will assist passengers with baggage at transfer points and give any information required.

BAGGAGE.

From		Delivered at Beach.
A. C. L. due	10 10 A. M.	5 00 P. M.
"	12 20 P. M.	" "
S. A. L.	12 45 "	" "
A. C. L.	1 40 "	" "
"	6 00 "	9 00 "
"	8 00 "	" "
"	11 45 "	11 00 A. M.
For		Carried on Freight Leaving Beach.
A. C. L. due to leave at	8 45 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
"	9 00 "	" "
"	2 25 P. M.	11 30 "
S. A. L.	3 10 "	" "
A. C. L.	6 50 "	5 30 P. M
"	6 00 A. M.	5 30 "

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
10 00 A. M.	7 30 A. M.
4 00 P. M	11 30 P. M.
8 30 "	5 30 "

Warehouse open to receive freight daily except Sunday from 8 30 A. M. to 8.30 P. M. Sunday from 9 00 A. M. to 10.00 A. M.; 3 00 P. M. to 4.00 P. M., and 7.30 P. M. to 8.30 P. M.
The Company has a baggage room and ticket office at Wrightsville Beach for handling all express parcels, baggage, validating foreign tickets and the selling of regular round trip tickets. This office will be open daily except Sunday from 7.00 A. M. to 7.30 A. M.; 11 00 A. M. 5.30 P. M. Sundays: 7.00 A. M. to 7.30 A. M.; 10.00 A. M. to 12.00 M.; 5.00 P. M. to 8.30 P. M.

CITY LINE,

North bound city cars leaving junction at 2.30, 2.40, 2.50 and 3.00 P. M. will run direct to the S. A. L. depot. je 28 tf

Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 2 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro.....	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston.....	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern.....	8 57	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City..	7 23	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.
Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 5.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.
oct 23 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

Reduced Rates

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Seaboard Air Line R'y.

San Francisco, Cal. Triennial Conclave Knights Templars, September 8th and 9th, 1904. Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., September 19th to 23th. Fare for the round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $65.25. Date of sale August 15th to September 9th inclusive. Final limit return, October 23rd.

Richmond, Va. Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers, September 6th to 13th. Fare for the round trip from Wilmington, N. C., one first class fare, plus 25cts. Date of sale September 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, final limit return, September 13th.

For full information as to routes, stopovers and schedules, apply to

je 2 tf E. B. WILLIAMSON, Agent.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect April 17, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 43	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 36 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 40
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 33 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 16 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 50 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar 8 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east.
W. J. CRAIG, Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.
Jan 10 tf.

Seaboard Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect July 14, 1904.

TRAIN NO. 39.

Leave Wilmington	3 20 p m
" Lumberton	5 42 p m
" Maxton	6 45 p m
" Laurinburg	7 01 p m
Arrive Hamlet	7 35 p m
Leave Hamlet	7 55 p m
" Monroe	9 50 p m
Arrive Charlotte	10 45 p m

TRAIN NO. 40.

Leave Charlotte	5 01 a m
" Monroe	5 50 a m
Arrive Hamlet	7 30 a m
Leave Hamlet	8 45 a m
" Laurinburg	9 14 a m
" Maxton	9 20 a m
" Lumberton	10 20 a m
Arrive Wilmington	12 45 p m

TRAIN NO. 45.

Leave Wilmington	5 00 a m
" Lumberton	7 21 a m
" Maxton	8 04 a m
" Laurinburg	8 18 a m
Arrive Hamlet	8 50 a m

TRAIN NO. 44.

Leave Hamlet	7 35 p m
" Laurinburg	8 05 p m
" Maxton	8 20 p m
" Lumberton	9 08 p m
Arrive Wilmington	11 20 p m

TRAIN NO. 66.

Leave Hamlet	8 55 a m
" Aberdeen	9 35 a m
" Southern Pines	9 45 a m
" Sanford	10 31 a m
Arrive Raleigh	11 46 a m

TRAIN NO. 41.

Leave Raleigh	4 40 p m
" Sanford	5 29 p m
" Southern Pines	6 16 p m
" Aberdeen	6 30 p m
Arrive Hamlet	7 30 p m

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Boston, Mass., account Encampment, G. A. R., August 15th-20th, rates $32 50 $31.25 $34.40.

Washington, D. C., Summer tourist rates, $18.00.

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$32 25	$20 40

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 21.

BREESE TRIAL CONTINUES.

Defendant on the Witness Stand—Interesting Evidence Brought Out by the Prosecution

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 20.—To-day's proceedings in the trial of Wm. E. Breese for embezzlement were the most interesting since the trial began, over a week ago, the district attorney resting the case for the government, and the defendant, who is accused of taking $114,000 of the funds of the First National Bank of Asheville, of which he was president, going on the stand in his own behalf.

The most interesting evidence brought out by the prosecution was in connection with the declaration that the First National Bank of Asheville had collected for other banks and failed to remit. Evidence was also brought out to show that officers of the bank had overdrawn their accounts for large sums after they had notified customers that they had agreed to cease "this form of accommodation."

The sensation of the day occurred when evidence was introduced connecting the name of J. S. Adams, one of the attorneys for the defence, with the transactions of the bank just prior to its failure. It was shown that a note signed by him had been taken up and replaced by an insolvent note. The insolvent note was discounted and the proceeds placed to the credit of Mr. Adams. The defence placed Mr. Adams on the stand and a satisfactory explanation was made of the entire transaction. The witness swore that his note which was in the bank was an accommodation note and that he derived no benefit from the proceeds. In order that his position might be understood fully, District Attorney Holton stated that he did not intend to convey the impression that Mr. Adams was connected with any wrong doing.

In his testimony, Mr. Breese explained that the failure of the bank was due to the panic of 1892 and 1893, which caused a depreciation in all values in the Asheville section. The ill effects of the panic were visible in Asheville for years. There was a wholesale depreciation of values, ranging from 50 to 75 per cent., and the entire community was almost ruined.

He claimed that his investments for the bank were made with the consent of the directors. The witness said in a large pocket book were all the notes he had made and the collateral security thereof and that this had disappeared since the second trial. District Attorney Holton said the pocket book would be produced. Breese's direct testimony was in progress when court adjourned until to-morrow.

A FAMILY FEUD.

Edward Stevens Shot and Killed by His Father-in-law, Thos. J. Lyons.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AUGUSTA, GA., July 20.—A special to the "Chronicle" from Greenwood, S. C., gives details of the killing of Edward Stevens, aged 25, residing in Greenwood county, S. C., by his father-in-law, Magistrate Thos. J. Lyon, aged 55. Since the elopement a few years ago of Stevens and Lyon's eldest daughter, and later a justice court decision against Stevens' father, there has not been the best of feeling between the families. At a picnic yesterday there was a quarrel between the kinsmen. It was renewed later in the day in front of Stevens' house. Stevens attacked Lyon with the butt end of a whip, and Lyon shot him through the heart. Lyon surrendered and is in jail.

GRAND LODGE OF ELKS.

F. C. Robinson, of Dubuque, Ia., Elected Grand Secretary—Fine Parade.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CINCINNATI, July 20.—A parade said to be ten miles long was the feature of to-day's convention of the fortieth Grand Lodge of Elks. There were more than 15,000 uniformed men in line and many floats and other designs.

After a hard struggle Frederick C. Robinson, of Dubuque, Iowa, was elected grand secretary by a majority of only two.

When it was announced that Robinson finally had a majority of two over all, his friends carried him down the center aisle in a chair and there was a great demonstration.

The claims of Buffalo, St. Louis, Syracuse and other cities were advocated as the next place of meeting, in a series of speeches. Buffalo was an easy winner on the first ballot.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 0; Chicago, 8.
Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 0.
New York, 4; Detroit, 11.
Boston, 1; Cleveland, 5. Second game—Boston, 0; Cleveland, 9.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 4; New York, 3.
Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 5.
Cincinnati, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
St. Louis-Boston—rain.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Savannah, 7; Augusta, 3.
Macon, 3; Columbia, 5.
Charleston, 2; Jacksonville, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Orleans, 0; Atlanta, 1—fifteen innings.
Nashville, 6; Shreveport, 1.
Birmingham-Little Rock—rain.
Memphis, 6; Montgomery, 2.

TERRIFIC HAIL STORM.

Destroyed Crops in a Large Area of Southeastern Alabama.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., July 20.—Details of a terrific hail storm which passed over southeastern Alabama have been received here. The storm covered an area fifteen miles long by nine miles wide and destroyed all vegetation in its path. Cotton stalks were torn to shreds and even the bark on the trees was torn off. Subscriptions for the destitute sufferers are being taken.

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BUTCHERS' STRIKE IS CALLED OFF.

Questions in Dispute to Be Settled by Arbitration and All Employes Taken Back.

WILL RESUME WORK AT ONCE

Settlement Arranged at a Joint Conference of Representatives of All Parties Interested--Notices at Once Sent Out by the Unions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 20.—The strike of packing house employes, began nine days ago, and which has demoralized the packing industry throughout the country, was settled here to-night at a conference between representatives of the packers. The whole controversy will be submitted to a board of arbitration, both sides agreeing to abide by whatever decision this board may reach. Pending the decision of the arbitration board the men will be taken back to work as rapidly as possible by the packers, and it is agreed by the packers that all the old employes are to be reinstated within forty-five days from the date work is resumed. If any of the former employes are still unemployed at the expiration of that time, such persons are to have the privilege of submitting their cases to the arbitration board for settlement. The strikers will return to work as soon as they can be notified of the peaceable adjustment of the trouble, and it is expected that by Friday morning everything will be in normal shape at all the plants in different cities where the employes were on strike.

Half an hour before the decision had been reached to-night to arbitrate, M. J. Donnelly, leader, had secured communication by long distance telephones with the leaders of the strike in outside cities and had notified them that satisfactory settlement has been made and ordered the strikers to return to work as soon as possible.

The settlement of the difficulty by arbitration was brought about by the allied craft at the stock yards who would have become involved in the controversy had it continued much longer. The representatives of these unions which represent 14,000 members, got together yesterday and sent a final appeal to the packers for a three-sided conference to-day between the packers, the strikers and themselves, in a final effort to get both sides of the controversy together again and arrange some sort of agreement which would prevent the strike spreading to the affiliated unions. This appeal of the allied trade unions received a favorable response from the packers, and to-day's conference was the result.

The agreement reached at to night's conference is practically the same as the proposition made last Saturday to the packers by Mr. Donnelly. The packers then refused, although they agreed to accept every other demand made by Mr. Donnelly.

When the men return to work it will be under exactly the conditions that prevailed before the strike was declared, with the exception that the question of wages will be arbitrated.

As many of the old employes as can be reached to-night will be notified to return to work to-morrow.

An Exciting Incident.

An exciting demonstration took place to-day at Root and Butler streets, near the stock yards. Thomas Johnson, a non-unionist, employed by Libby, McNeill & Libby, was captured by a crowd of strike sympathizers and nearly lynched. The mob seized Johnson and gave him a severe beating. Somebody cried: "Get a rope and let him dangle." The rope was quickly procured, but Johnson, struggling desperately, managed to jump upon the coupling bar of the last car of a passing freight train. The crowd followed and boarded the cars. Johnson lost no time in reaching the top and after him went the mob. The fugitive ran to the front of the train, hesitated for a moment and then leaped from the top of the freight car. He is a good runner and escaped.

At St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, MINN., July 20.—Conforming with the instructions received by President Wills, of the South St. Paul Butchers' Union, from President Donnelly, of Chicago, the officers of the local union raised the strike blockade at the Swift packing plant in South St. Paul to-day. All persons who desired to enter the Swift plant were allowed to do so without hindrance.

OMAHA, NEB., July 20.—Judge Munger, in the U. S. court to-day issued an injunction against the striking packing house employes, restraining them from "picketing" the packing house district. The injunction was granted on petition of the packing house managers.

A HEAVY ENGAGEMENT.

Russians Report Japanese Forces Were Pushed Back and Their Positions Occupied—Japs Lost Ten Guns

By Cable to the Morning Star.

TA TCHE KIAO, July 19, (delayed in transmission.)—Sharp fighting was reported yesterday to the northeast, where it is stated the Japanese lost ten guns. Their forces were pushed back and their positions occupied as far as Saimatsza.

If this report be true it indicates a heavy engagement.

LONDON, July 21.—The Standard's correspondent with the first Japanese army, cabling under date of July 19, says:

"Our right flank has been engaged since morning."

The correspondent of the Times with General Kuroki's army, under date of July 19, confirms the Standard correspondent's report.

SAVANNAH ADVANCING.

Announcement Made of Three New Steamship Lines Established.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 20.—Notices of three new steamship lines for this port were made public to-day. Stewart & Company caused to be posted on the Cotton Exchange the announcement that the steamer Santuree, of a new line to New York, would sail on or about September 1st. Miscellaneous cargoes will be carried by ships of the new line. The piers of the new line will be at the Seaboard Air Line terminals. J. F. Minis & Company announced the establishment of the Anchor Line, Savannah to Barcelona and Genoa, and the Argo Line, Savannah to Bremen. Service on both will start September 1st, with cotton, naval stores and miscellaneous cargoes. The Argo Line ships will carry passengers as well as freight and there will be at least two sailings each month. Through bills of lading will be written to leading continental ports.

FLORENCE MAYBRICK FINALLY RELEASED.

American Woman Tried, Convicted and Sentenced to Death for Murder of Her Husband in Liverpool.

By Cable to the Morning Star

TRURO, CORNWALL, ENGLAND, July 14.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick is free. She left here at 11:43 A. M. to day on her way to France. Mrs. Maybrick's imprisonment was not terminated with the clang of doors, the last sound which remains in the ears of so many of her fellow prisoners who had preceded her to liberty from a Yalesbury prison, where she had spent more than fourteen years of her life. It closed before the arched doorway of the white convent of the Sisterhood of the Epiphany of this town, with the black-robed sisters softly uttering their blessings and good wishes for her future. With two companions Mrs. Maybrick entered the carriage of Miss Dalrymple, secretary of the sisterhood, and was driven rapidly to Stautstell, a small station fourteen miles away, where, after exchanging good-byes with her companions, she boarded a train and started on her journey to France. She will not go to America until her presence there is considered imperatively necessary.

The greatest secrecy was thrown about Mrs. Maybrick's departure.

At the railroad station orders were issued forbidding the employes to discuss Mrs. Maybrick or even to admit that she was at the convent.

The little town has taken deep interest in this international figure. Crowds early stood at the iron gates of the grounds waiting for Mrs. Maybrick to appear, but they were barely rewarded, as she went out when the road was reported clear.

When Mrs. Maybrick first arrived here she was kept under strict surveillance, never leaving the convent walls—even for a walk in the grounds she would have to be under the escort of one of the sisters. Subsequently, she was allowed to walk in the quiet streets of this picturesque place and in the shady country lanes in the vicinity. Those who have seen the published portraits of Mrs. Maybrick soon got to recognize the black robed woman, with black bonnet and flowing strings, and gave her kindly greetings, which frequently passed unnoticed, she seeking so far as possible to avoid the attention of the curious. Her time at the convent was taken up by sewing, reading and chatting with the sisters, endearing herself to them by many acts showing that even the many years of servitude at Aylesbury prison had been unable to stamp out her innate kindly disposition.

Those who have talked with Mrs. Maybrick say in the main that the five months spent at Truro were happy ones. She was compelled to observe the rules of the sisterhood strictly, and the sisters were required to carry out the regime of the prison, but the rules were not enforced by warders hardened by contact with criminals, but by friendly sisters who have been company as well as guardians, and Mrs. Maybrick expressed her gratitude to them on her departure. Her past life was not referred to at the convent unless Mrs. Maybrick spoke of it.

When Mrs. Maybrick left her peaceful retreat this morning she wore a white boa around her neck and she had a grey hat with flowers upon her whitened head. These garments were sent by her mother, the Baroness de Roques, and were the first colors worn by Mrs. Maybrick since her imprisonment fifteen years back.

The fact that people at Truro knew her by sight and that newspaper correspondents had established themselves near the convent, caused Mrs. Maybrick to determine not to leave Truro by train on departing from the town, but to go to Stautstell, where a fast express stopped. After her departure it was said by a sister at the convent that Mrs. Maybrick had given no trouble whatever and that her conduct had been most exemplary, she observing without question all the regulations. She had not asked for and had not been given unusual favors. Nevertheless, the mother superior was glad to be free from her responsibility.

Mrs. Maybrick is not freed unconditionally. She is out on ticket-of-leave, but to all intents she is as free as any other person, can go where she will, and will not have to make a report to the British authorities, as once Mrs. Maybrick is abroad she will be outside British jurisdiction.

The Baroness Roques has made preparations at Rouken for Mrs. Maybrick's arrival at her quiet home there, where she will begin a new life.

Mrs. Maybrick, who was Miss Florence Elizabeth Chandler, a member of a well known and prosperous Southern family, was married July 27th, 1881, in St. James church, Piccadilly, to James Maybrick of Liverpool. She was then eighteen years old. Her husband was over forty years of age. In the spring of 1889 Mr. Maybrick became ill and in a few days he died. His brothers investigated the death and charged Mrs. Maybrick with the murder of her husband. A long trial followed, and a number of doctors swore that the deceased died of arsenical poisoning. The defence proved that for twenty years Mr. Maybrick had been a confirmed user of arsenic and that he daily took doses large enough to kill a dozen ordinary men. Mrs. Maybrick was eventually sentenced to death by the judge, Sir Fitzjames Stephen, who spoke for two days in charging the jury. He said it was impossible for them to find her not guilty in the face of the medical evidence. The judge died some time later in a mad house.

From the time of Mrs. Maybrick's conviction, her mother, the Baroness de Roques, was unremitting in her efforts in behalf of the prisoner. She succeeding in having the death sentence commuted to penal servitude for life and finally has obtained the freedom of her daughter, to whose release from prison she had devoted her life. The Baroness was aided by influential friends on both sides of the Atlantic. In 1900 after the death of Lord Russell of Killoween, chief justice of England, a letter which he had written to Mrs. Maabrick in 1895 was discovered. It showed he was convinced that she ought never to have been convicted and it has been generally understood that all the recent American ambassadors to the court of St. James have done everything possible to obtain Mrs. Maybrick's pardon.

The fact of her probable release was used as a reason for securing the postponement for a trial last year of law suits bearing on Mrs. Maybrick's interest in land in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia until she was able personally to testify. If she was not able to testify in these suits Mrs. Maybrick and her mother would have lost all title and interest in the many thousands of acres of land involved in the case.

No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles, causing twenty-four tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Equally as good for Burns and all Aches and Pains. Only 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

INTENSE FEELING AGAINST RUSSIA.

Press and People of England Incensed at Seizure of British Ships in the Red Sea.

URGE POLICY OF REPRISAL.

Against What is Regarded as Russia's Violation of Treaties and Her Piratical Attack on British Commerce—Warlike Talk.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 20.—The Associated Press to-night interviewed many prominent persons connected and in close touch with the government relative to the seizure of British vessels by steamers of the Russian volunteer fleet in the Red Sea.

As a result of these inquiries, there is shown to be a remarkably hostile feeling against Russia of a strength and a bitterness almost without precedent since the Crimean war. Even the most conservative who have been in the service of the government for many years and who deeply deplored the haste with which they thought Great Britain had plunged into the Transvaal war, to-night frankly declared for a policy of reprisal against what is regarded here as Russia's violation of treaties and her piratical attack on British commerce.

The warlike tone of such papers as the Times, the Standard, the Morning Post and the Daily Telegraph, which in national crises hitherto almost invariably advised caution, has had its inevitable effect. There has been stirred up a storm of indignation among all classes in the United Kingdom and the strength of which the government itself can scarcely gauge.

Those who deplored the outbreak of the war between Japan and Russia and insisted publicly and privately that Great Britain, crippled financially after her South African experiences, must not be drawn into the Far Eastern struggle, are now amongst the most outspoken champions of a physical force that will prevent the repetition of the Malacca incident in the Red Sea.

"Lord Lansdowne," says the Daily Telegraph, voicing the views of the government, "has faced the situation created by the abuse of the right of search in the only manner worthy of a British minister compelled to defend the interests of British commerce and the honor of the flag, and, acting with unhesitating firmness and promptitude which recall the strongest days of the national policy, he has justified the trust of the country.

"While not one rash word should be said which could have the effect of increasing the tension of an anxious and dangerous interval, it would be futile to disguise the character or to minimize the risk of the situation which has arisen.

"We hope and believe that a solution of the difficulty may still be found in the withdrawal of the Russian government from its false position."

The "Telegraph" goes on to say that the stores of the Malacca were plainly marked with the broad arrow, showing that they belonged to the British government and were destined only for a British depot. "It would be impossible to conceive a more remarkable accumulation of illegality and error than has attended the present case," the paper says. "If this country were capable under any circumstances of tamely enduring so grave an injury to the most vital of its interests and so great an insult to its honor, we should have forfeited our claim to be a great nation. In any circumstance, we think it may be assumed that the Malacca will never be navigated by a prize crew to any Russian port. She is watched, if not actually stopped, by British warships, and she will, in any case, be restored to her owners long before she can be taken through the Dardanelles or navigated to Libu.

This emergency, in some respects, is the most critical that has marked our relations with Russia for the last twenty years, and in face of the inflamed state of public opinion in St. Petersburg it would be unwise to blind ourselves to the existence of possibilities that would otherwise be unthinkable. This country with decision and composure has taken an attitude from which there can be no retreat or flinching. We seek a simple redress for a violent and unprovoked injury and where the peace of the west depends upon the will of the Czar we cannot believe that civilization will look to him during the next forty-eight hours in vain."

The foregoing announcement from an organ so notoriously inspired, with its open reference to a possibility of war, adds enormously to a situation that already was grave enough.

Every other London morning paper devotes its leading editorial to a similar view of the situation. War with Russia is openly contemplated by the most staid papers of the empire as a contingency much to be regretted, but nevertheless inevitable for the honor of the nation, unless speedy reparation be made for what is alleged to be a dire insult to the British flag.

Another Seizure.

LONDON, July 21.—The China Mutual Steam Navigation Company steamer Pak Ling is believed to have been seized in the Red Sea. The Pak Ling sailed from Middlesborough, Eng., June 18, and London July 2, bound for Yokohama. She is a British owned vessel.

PARIS, July 20.—Information reaching governmental quarters here leads the officials here to believe that Russia will release the British and German merchantmen seized in the Red Sea as a means of averting international complications.

Vladivostok Squadron.

TOKIO, July 20, (noon).—The Vladivostok squadron has overhauled a Japanese steamer eastward of Tsugaru straits. The steamer was the Taketschoma. She arrived at Moroan at noon to-day and reports that she left the Russian vessels steaming to the southeast. This course creates the impression here that they are heading for Saldon, capital of French Indo-China, although it is possible that this course is a ruse to deceive the Japanese.

U. S. CRUISER DENVER.

Silver Service Formally Presented at Galveston, Tex.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, July 20.—The silver service from the citizens of Denver was formally presented to the cruiser Denver at the auditorium this afternoon. Two thousand people witnessed the ceremony, which consisted of speech-making and music. Mayor Austin delivered the address of welcome, Lieutenant P. J. Werlich, of the Denver, responding. District Attorney Charles S. Brock, of Denver, delivered the presentation speech and Commander Murdoch the address of acceptance.

GREAT BRITAIN PROTESTS

Against the Seizure of Steamer Malacca in the Red Sea by a Russian Cruiser. Amicable Adjustment Probable

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 20, 6:35 P. M.—Sir Charles Harding, the British ambassador to Russia, this afternoon, in behalf of his government, presented a strong protest to Russia against the seizure in the Red Sea, and detention of the Peninsular and Oriental steamer Malacca, which was carrying three hundred tons of British government stores for the naval establishment at Hong Kong, each case of which was marked with the broad arrow, which is the government stamp.

The ambassador also presented a general protest against the action of the Russian volunteer fleet steamers in the Red Sea.

The protest was in the form of a verbal note made in conformity with telegraphic instructions from the British government. It does not raise the question of the passage of the Dardanelles by vessels of the volunteer fleet, it being understood that Great Britain is reluctant to re-open the question of the Dardanelles and that she will not do so unless as a last resort.

Amicable Adjustment.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—The Associated Press has just been informed that Emperor Nicholas, in an interview with Count Lamsdorff, expressed his displeasure at the turn events had taken and the possibility of complications with Great Britain arising out of the detention of British ships by the Russian volunteer fleet steamers in the Red Sea. This pacific attitude, if the report be correct, will doubtless lead to an immediate and amicable adjustment of the difficulties.

SENATOR DAVIS AT ESOPUS.

First Meeting of the Two Candidates. Arrangements Made for Notification. National Committee Chairman.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ESOPUS, N. Y., July 20.—Former Senator Davis, the Democratic vice presidential candidate, arrived at Esopus to-day, accompanied by Committeemen Mack and D. J. Campau, of Michigan. They were driven at once to Rosemount. Judge Parker and Senator Davis had never met before. Mr. Mack introduced the candidates and they warmly greeted each other.

Messrs. Mack and Campau, speaking of the committee chairmanship, said they will regard Senator Gorman as a possible chairmanship.

"Judge Parker himself said: "The notifications of Senator Davis and myself will take place in our respective States. This is all we will say at this time."

Later, he declared positively that his own notification would take place at Rosemount. It is likely that Senator Davis will be notified at White Sulphur Springs, that place being more conveniently situated than Elkins, the candidate's home town.

National Committeeman Mack while here to-day talked freely of the situation with reference to Mr. Murphy and Tammany Hall and their attitude toward the campaign and the national ticket. He scoffed at the idea that there was any sinister significance in the failure of Mr. Murphy to send congratulations or other messages to Judge Parker.

"Mr. Murpny will be found loyally supporting the ticket," he said. "Tammany is one of the organizations that can be relied upon to get out its vote. As for Mr. McCarren, I do not deny that there is a rivalry between him and Mr. Murphy, but they are both good Democrats, and there is no reason why their feelings towards each other should interfere with the success of the ticket."

Asked about the national chairmanship, Mr. Mack repeated his hope that Senator Gorman would be induced to take it. Some one asked if it was not the plan that Senator Gorman should be chairman, with Taggart in charge in the West and Sheehan in the East. "That would be an admirable arrangement," said Mr. Mack.

THREATENED STRIKE.

Fall River Cotton Mill Operatives Will Resist the New Wage Scale.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FALL RIVER, MASS., July 21.—Unless the cotton mill managers of this city, who operate what is known as union plants, abandon their announced intention of inaugurating on Monday next a new scale of wages which would reduce the earning of their employes 12½ per cent., 31,000 operatives will stop work, following the strike vote cast to-night by the Textile Workers' Union.

By a vote of 1,510 to 396 the union men decided to strike Monday, disregarding the suggestion of the textile council that a strike was inadvisable at this time.

It is the general belief in the city to-night that the mill owners will reconsider their decision to reduce wages and so avoid a strike. This belief is based on the argument of the union leaders that the cotton and cloth markets are in such condition that a shutdown at this time would be ruinous to the manufacturers.

CLYDE STEAMER APACHE

Lost Her Propeller and Was Towed Back to New York by the Comanche.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The Clyde Line steamer Apache, which sailed July 19th for Jacksonville and Charleston, returned to port this afternoon in tow of the steamer Comanche, having lost her propeller. The Apache was proceeding down the coast during the night and was off Absecum when the accident occurred. Officers of the steamer could account for the accident in no other way than that the propeller may have struck a sunken or submerged wreck. The steamer was obliged to lay to and early to-day the Clyde Liner Comanche from Jacksonville and Charleston hove in sight and took the disabled steamer in tow and brought her back to this port.

WARM WIRELETS

Jack Bone was found guilty in the superior court at Rome, Ga., of killing Z. T. Hall. He was sentenced by Judge Henry to hang on Wednesday, August 17.

DR. C. W. KENT, who was offered the presidency of the University of Tennessee, has telegraphed the Hon. Edward T. Sabford that after mature consideration he had decided not to permit the use of his name in this connection.

A charter has been granted for a new steamship line, to be known as the Independent Steamship Company, which will put on a line of steamers running eastward from Pensacola, Florida, along the Gulf coast to Apalachicola and thence up the Apalachicola and Chattahoochee rivers.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Boy Wanted—A bright, active boy, 13 to 15 years old, who is willing to make himself useful, is wanted at the STAR office. jy 21 3t

Wanted—A good second-hand safe weighing 1,500 to 2,000 pounds. Hydraulic White Brick Co. jy 21 3t

For Sale—One lot of fine milk cows, just arrived, and must be sold at once. S. J. Davis, 206 and 210 Market street. jy 20 2tf

Lost—Sunday night on A. C. L. Train No. 53, arriving Wilmington 11.40 o'clock, between Florence and Wilmington, gold watch described as follows: Movement No 200,053, case No. 35,369, private No. 13,753,116 size gold hunting case. Suitable reward offered for return to this office. jy 19 1t

H. C. Darby & Co., 114½ Princess street, Real Estate and Collecting Agency. Will give personal attention to collections and repairs. Money loaned on good security. jy 19 1m

Stove wood at Wrightsville Beach. Fine wood sawed and split for use in cooking stoves will be delivered at any point along the railroad on Wrightsville Beach at $1.25 per load. Leave or telephone your orders to the Baggage Room, Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company. jy 9 30t

Notice—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Pictorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned Tuesday, August 9th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, secretary. jy 7 30t

All Aboard for the Beach! Cars every hour on the hour from 6 A. M. to 11:00 P. M. Half hour time, one to nine. je 30 tf

Handling of packages on the regular passenger cars. Conductors and motormen of regular passenger cars of the C. R., L. and P. Co. are permitted to carry packages of medicine, but are not allowed to accept compensation or responsibility for the service. je 23 30t

Free exhibition of moving pictures at the Casino at 9 o'clock every night except Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays. je 21 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Eat at the Dixie Restaurant and grow fat. 117 Princess street. Je 15 tf

Would be glad to accommodate a number of gentlemen with good table board at reasonable rates; also two furnished rooms with board. Apply No. 15 North Fifth street. apr 30 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

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This is an agreeable sort of store to patronize. You can recognize at once, from the way you are served, that your best interest is being studied. We study the fit of every garment you try on much more closely than you do, and when the purchase is completed there's not a line of a garment that isn't perfect.

Two and three-piece Suits divide honors of patronage. Some want vests, some don't. We're able to offer each the widest possible variety of fabrics for selection.

Men's three-piece Suits, $10 to $22.50.
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Thursday, July 21,

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We hope every person in Wilmington will be able to attend this sale

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THE STORE CLOSED WEDNESDAY OPENS THURSDAY MORNING AT 8:30.

We name a few of our many Bargains.

Mennen's Borated Talcum powder 10c.

The best 25c. Royal Tooth powder this sale 10c. Only one to customer.

Gallon coffee pots 10c.

20c. house brooms 12c.; 25c. house brooms 19c.

Good ink 3c. bottle.

5c. extract lemon 3c.

10c. machine oil 3c.; needles 1c. paper.

Men's linen collars worth 10c. now 5c.

15c. sox, surplus sale 10c.

Men's 25c. hats, surplus sale 10c.

Mens and boys' 25c. caps this sale 19c.

Envelopes 3c. package.

Good pen tablets for 3c.

126 sheets all linen paper for 12c.

Fruit of Loom bleaching, surplus sale 7c. Only ten yards to a customer.

6c. Checked Homespun 4½c.

7c. White Homespun, surplus sale 5½c.

5 and 6c. Colored Lawns, surplus sale 3c.

6c. Royal Blue Calicoes 4c.

15 dozen Pillow Cases, 15c. kind, 10c.

Sheets, 81x90, surplus sale 49c.

Don't miss our Remnant Counter.

Ladies' 19c. Black Hose 12½c.

Children's Hose 5c.

Darning Cotton, three balls for 5c.

Good Spool Cotton, three spools for 5c.

25c. Linen Towels, with fringe, 19c.

Special, Ladies' Vests, worth 12½c. each, this sale three for 25c.

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